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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

United States of America,
Plaintiff,
v.
Nicholas James Crook,
Defendant.

CR 09 00 19 PHX JAT (ECV)

INDICTMENT

VIO: 18 U.S.C. § 32(a)(5)

(Interference with the Safe
Operation of an Aircraft)

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT 1

On or about September 16, 2008, in the District of Arizona, defendant Nicholas James Crook willfully interfered with Phoenix Police Department Pilot Officer Brent Bundy, a person who was engaged in the authorized operation of a police helicopter that was in flight, with reckless disregard for the safety of human life, when defendant Nicholas James Crook pointed a laser beam at the helicopter while the helicopter was on duty in the area of 2144 West Rancho Drive, Phoenix, Arizona.

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1 In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 32(a)(5).
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3 A TRUE BILL
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5 s/
6 FOREPERSON OF THE GRAND JURY
Date: January 6, 2009

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